Prep – Year 10

Observation visits to schools for the 2013 NAPLAN tests

Purpose
To advise principals that Queensland Studies Authority (QSA) officers will be visiting a sample of schools to observe the administration of the 2013 National Assessment Program — Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) tests.

Background
Observation visits:
- form part of the QSA’s continuing review of the development and administration of the test
- help maintain the accountability, security and proper conduct of the NAPLAN tests in schools.

Information
If your school is selected for a visit, a QSA officer will arrive before the start of one of the test sessions. The officer will wear identification and will produce a letter of introduction on arrival at your school.

QSA officers visiting schools will not intervene in the administration of the NAPLAN tests in any way. Their job is to observe and gather information about how administration can be improved.

What you need to do
Provide QSA officers visiting schools with access to the test venues and answer their questions.

More information
If you would like more information, please contact Tracy Owens on (07) 3864 0475 or by email to NAPLAN.tests@qsa.qld.edu.au.

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